

## Christian Health Ministries

Christian Health Ministries is a former Solid Waste Site that underwent closure recently. The property is located at 3801 Bienville Street in New Orleans. The main constituents of concern (COC) were lead and petroleum hydrocarbons. A steel manufacturing plant was previously located at the site. It is unknown how the contamination became spread throughout the whole site. It is suspected that the contaminated material was used to fill low-lying areas.

Approximately 20,000 tons of soil were removed from the site in June and July 2000, and disposed in the Jefferson Parish landfill. The site was remediated to non-industrial standards. The COC concentrations after remediation were below screening option standards.

For information regarding Risk Evaluation/Corrective Action Program (RECAP) standards visit the RECAP website at [www.deq.state.la/technology/recap/index.htm](http://www.deq.state.la/technology/recap/index.htm).

Following are pictures of some of the excavation and disposal activities:



Contaminated soil and storage tanks containing underground storage tank residual fluids. 6/15/00



Excavation of contaminated soil. 6/15/00



Identification of soil pile # 5 from which samples were taken. 6/15/00



Truck used to haul excavated soil to proper disposal site. 6/15/00



Truck used for spraying water on roads to control dust. 6/15/00



Excavated soil. 6/15/00